In re Application of:

MASAMI KATO

Application No.: 09/343,183

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Docket No. 00862.00291

Examiner: Q. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2141

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For: DATA COMMUNICATION CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD,

AND DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 15	MINUS	** 20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	-0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	***	= 1	x \$43 \$86	\$ 86.00
Fee for Mult	iple Dependent clair	ns \$145°/\$	290			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 86.00	

- If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- A check in the amount of \$86.00 is enclosed.

<u>''</u>	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.					
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.					
	Respectfully submitted,					
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